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COMNAVSECGRU PASS TO NRL, MR. MAYO.
1. WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO CONSTRUCT A COMPREHENSIVE HISTORY OF PROJECT POPPY FROM AF AND USAFSS STANDPOINT FOR STRICT USE WITHIN THE OPERATIONAL CHANNELS OF THE PROJECT BUT FIND WE NEED FURTHER INFORMATION TO COMPLETE SUCH AS:
A. DATES, NAMES, PLACES, AND FUNDINGS CONCERNING CONCEPT, DESIGN, MANUFACTURE, AND TESTING OF FIRST POPPY SATELLITE (GRAB I) AND SUBSEQUENT SATELLITES.
B. BOOSTERS, METHODS OF ORBITAL ALIGNMENT, AND METHODS OF STABILIZATION USED FOR ALL POPPY SATELLITES TO DATE.
C. INDIVIDUAL SATELLITE SUCCESSES AND IMPACT ON INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY.
2. WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR OWN VIEWS, OPINIONS, AND REMARKS CONCERNING THESE REQUESTED ITEMS AS YOU GAVE THEM TO MSGT [redacted] DURING HIS VISIT. REPEAT THAT THIS INFO IS ONLY FOR USE WITHIN PROJECT CHANNELS AS AN OPERATIONAL AND MORALE TOOL, PRIMARILY AT SITE LEVEL.
3. PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST IF YOU CAN RESPOND. IF ANSWER TOO LENGTHY FOR MSG REPLY, PLEASE COURIER TO:
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A- need dates, names, places funding for concept design mfg & testing of Crotal-I & Castor.

B- Booster & sta keeping, Stabilization need for all.

a- Success & impact on community.

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